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HERE are the seven kinds of photo dramas on the black list for children, and the first of them is the fight plays. After fight plays come "night life" plays, thrill plays, sex plays, vampire plays, low comedy slapstick plays, and overdrawn wild West plays.



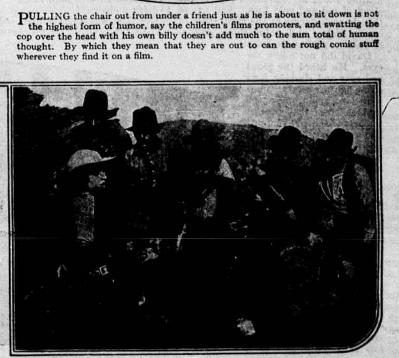
THEY don't let passengers ride on the engine anyway, so a deep study of the heroine's feats in playing hop-scotch from one roaring express to the next will never be of much use to you when you grow up to be a bank clerk. Shows like this wake you up in the night with awfully bad dreams.



THE night life of the chap that grows up to be President consists of an early supper, some hide-and-seek with the other kids on the block until half-past eight or so, then bed and as much attention from your mother after that as you can get. The trials and tribulations of Carrie, the beautiful cabaret singer, need not especially worry you at this stage of your career.



POOR Theda Bara fills a pigeon-hole all her own in the taboo side of the censors' desk. Miss Bara maintains that she is a missionary pure and simple, and by her terrible example saves the young from pitfalls. However, the regular missionaries haven't invited her to join their union at the time we go to press.



NO, this is not the Men's Bible Class out with its teacher on a picnic. It is a band of desperadoes trying to deprive this handsome heiress of her rightful oil fields. Films like this cause small boys to run away from home rescuing heroines, and make small girls shoot themselves experimenting with dad's revolver in the barn.



AS a matter of fact, it's quite hard work to be a vampire, and very few of them get noticed by anybody anyhow, after all their trouble. But from many film excesses you get the idea that any man in the world will give up wife and family, fame, fortune, and his after-dinner nap for a kiss of this description. It's unfair to give young feminine film fans such false hopes.